January 2016

National Park Service U.S. Department of the Interior New Orleans Jazz National Historic Park



Visitor's Center 916 N. Peters Street New Orleans, LA 70116 Tues.- Sat. 9am-5pm

Ranger-led walking tours on the Origins of Jazz are conducted on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays at 11:00. (Sign up inside the Dutch Alley visitor center.)

Additional free tours are sponsored by the French Market, Inc. on Mondays and Wednesdays. Visit http://www.frenchmarket.org/events/upcoming/ for details.

Find updated New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park schedules at: www.nps.gov/jazz/planyourvisit/events.htm.

Jan 1 Friday

We are closed today. Happy New Year!

Jan 2 Saturday

9:30-10:30 am

916 N. Peters St

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2:00-3:00 pm

Old U.S. Mint

The *John Mahoney Big Band* performs the **Score for Unity**. The Score for Unity is a new work commissioned by the New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans.

Jan 5 Tuesday

12:00-1:00 pm

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Jan 6 Wednesday

2:00-3:00 pm

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4:00-4:50 pm

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Jan 7 Thursday

2:00-3:00 pm

Old U.S. Mint

Our **Jazz Masters** series features New Orleans native and trumpeter extraordinaire **Leroy Jones** performing Jazz and New Orleans standards with our own Ranger Combo.

Jan 8 Friday

11:00 - 11:45 am Outdoors at the Dutch Alley Performance Pavilion

Join one of our celebrity guest artists from our "Songs for Junior Rangers" CD, award winning children's musician and author **Johnette Downing**. Johnette will perform a concert and sing along especially suited for kids from Pre-school to 3rd grade.

2:00 - 3:00 pm Old U.S. Mint

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Jan 13 Wednesday

2:00-3:00 pm

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Kris Tokarski Trio performs at the Mint during our Wednesday Jazz Piano Hour. This program will explore the New Orleans – Chicago Connection. The trio will include *Andy Schumm* and *Hal Smith*, two leading players and experts on early jazz, and will perform and explore connections between New Orleans and Chicago with a focus on the early 1920's.

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Jan 14 Thursday

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Old U.S. Min

U.S. Marine Corps Forces Reserve Band Jazz Combo performs an hour of music ranging from traditional New Orleans stylings to modern day jazz. Semper Fidelis!!

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Louis Ford, New Orleans native and clarinetist extraordinaire, performs traditional New Orleans music accompanied by **Ranger Jon Beebe**.

5:00-7:00 pm

Old U.S. Min

Louisiana Museum Foundation presents **Danny and Me: Stories and Memories**. A mix of stories about Danny Barker's influence on them from a half dozen folks who are not full-time professional musicians – including OffBEAT publisher *Jan Ramsey*, sculptor *Clifton Webb*, dancer *Greer Mendy*, writers *Jon Pult* and *Kalamu ya Salaam* and record producer *Scott Billington* – with music inspired by Danny Barker played by *Freddy Lonzo and the Cork Poppers*. WWNO's *Fred Kasten* hosts. (\$20.00)

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3:00-4:00 pm

French Market Farmers Market Stage

Join the **NPS Centennial Band** featuring **Richard Scott** for "**Making a Jazz Gumbo**" with a live cooking demonstration of Louisiana gumbo by **Dianne** "**Gumbo Marie**" **Honore** of New Orleans as seen cooking on the tv show Flip my Food with celebrity Chef Jeff. She hails from a long line of cooks and operated her family's Creole restaurant in Treme for several years during the 1990's. The demonstration uses live music and a cooking demo to show how gumbo is a perfect metaphor for jazz, and vice versa.

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Rachel Bruenlin hosts our monthly "Talk That Music Talk" program saxophonist **Darryl Adams** of the Tornado Brass Band, exploring his career and the foundations of traditional New Orleans music.

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All National Park Service programs are free of charge unless otherwise indicated.

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Listen to New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park music on SoundCloud at https://soundcloud.com/npsjazz.